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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAGR, EEC  
SUBJECT: EC SALE OF MFDM FOR FEED USE

REF: (A) EC BRUSSELS 2021, (B) EC BRUSSELS 576

1. COMMISSION REGULATION NO. 443/77 OF MARCH 2, 1977  
PROVIDES FOR THE SALE OF NFDM FOR PIG AND POULTRY FEED AT  
A FIXED PRICE DURING A SPECIFIED "SELLING PERIOD" (FROM THE  
FOURTH TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH TO THE TUESDAY OF THE FOLLOWING  
WEEK). THE REGULATION IS AN AMENDMENT TO REGULATION 368/77  
(REF. A) AND IS AIMED AT PROVIDING ADDITIONAL SALES POSSIBILITIES  
FOR THE NFDM OFFERED UNDER THE REGULATION. THE FIXED SALES  
PRICE IS TO BE EQUAL TO THE MINIMUM PRICE SET BY  
THE COMMISSION FOLLOWING THE TENDER PROCEDURE DESCRIBED IN  
REGULATION 368/77 PLUS ONE UNIT OF ACCOUNT. THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE  
PURCHASER REGARDING DENATURING AND POSTING OF A PROCESSING SECURITY  
ARE THE SAME AS THOSE FOR A SUCCESSFUL TENDERER. HOWEVER,  
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INSTEAD OF THE 15 U.A./TON SURETY DEPOSIT REQUIRED ON THE  
TENDER, THE PURCHASER AT FIXED PRICE MUST POST AN ADVANCE  
PAYMENT OF 20 U.A./ TON BY THE DATE OF CONCLUSION OF THE  
CONTRACT.

2. AN OFFICIAL IN THE COMMISSION'S DAIRY SECTION TELLS US  
THAT THE COMMISSION HOPES TO SELL ABOUT 25,000 TONS OF NFDM

A MONTH UNDER THE NEW STANDING TENDER (INCLUDING FIXED PRICE SALES), THUS MOVING ALL OF THE APPROXIMATELY 260,000 TONS COVERED BY THE TENDER BY THE END OF 1977. HE SAID THAT HE DID NOT THINK THEY COULD SELL SUBSTANTIALLY LARGER QUANTITIES OF NFDM FOR PIG AND POULTRY FEED IN 1977 WITHOUT UPSETTING THE BUDGET. ASKED ABOUT THE COMMISSION'S PROPOSAL (REF. B) FOR THE SALE OF AN ADDITIONAL 150,000 TONS OF "FRESH" NFDM (I.E., NOT IN INTERVENTION), HE SAID THAT THIS PROPOSAL, IF APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL, WOULD REQUIRE AN ADDITIONAL BUDGET AUTHORIZATION.HINTON

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